# Septa Magnets Modeling Measuring and Performance

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### What is a "Septum"?

A "septum" in accelerator and beam\_ line physics is a device which separates two field regions

Left Field Region

 $E_1 B_1$ 

Usually  $E_1=0$   $B_1=0$ 

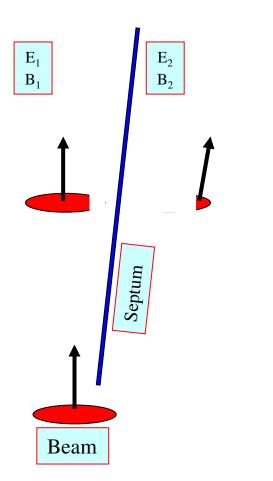
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Right Field Region

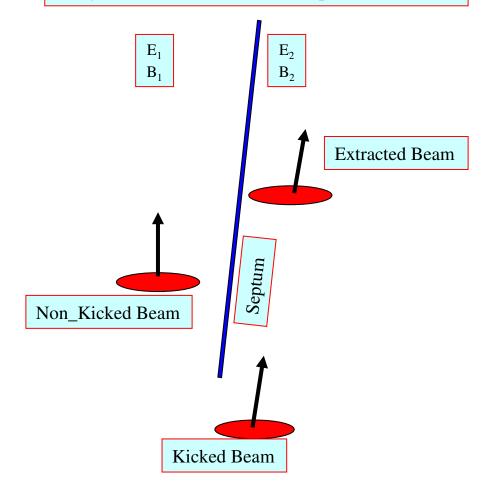
 $E_2$   $B_2$ 

## What is the application of a "Septum" in accelerator physics?

To be used as "beam splitter"



To be used as beam "Extractor/Injector" in conjunction with a "kicker" upstrm/downstm



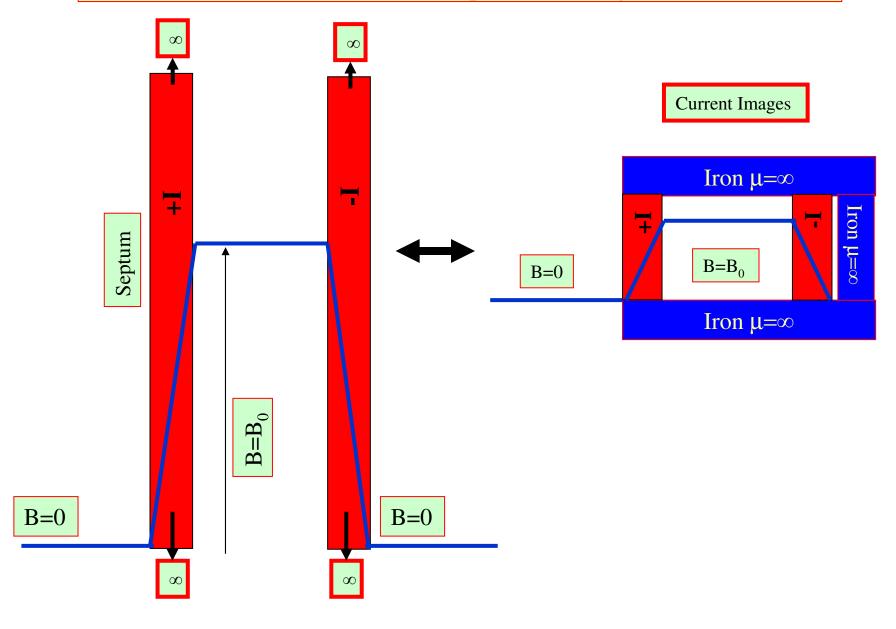
### Types of "Septa"

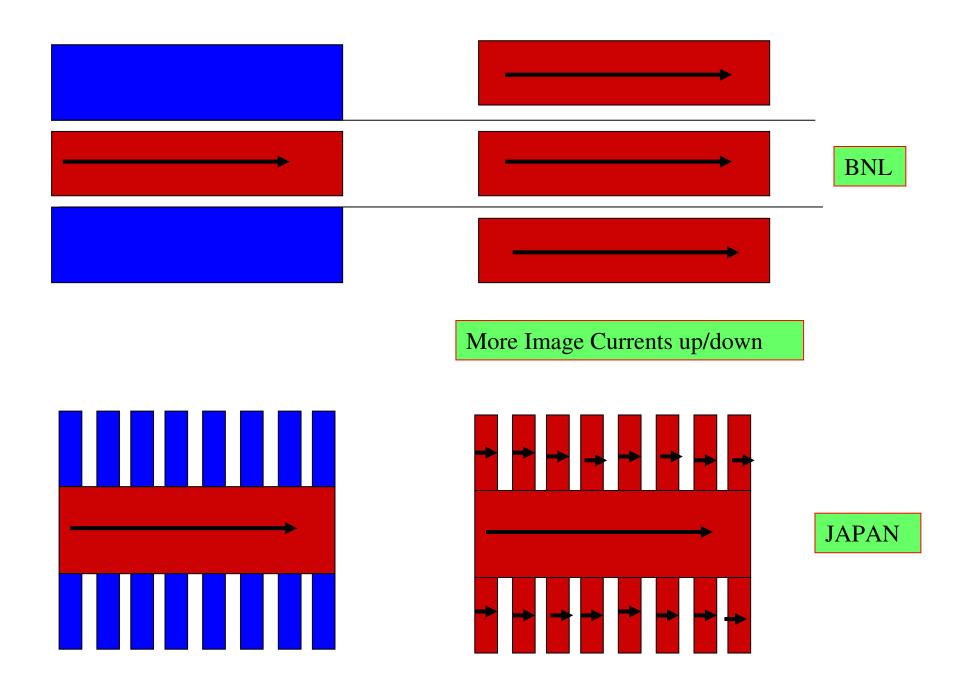
I know of

- Electrostatic Septa (Usually are used as beam\_splitters)
- Magnetic Septa:
  - "Current" Septa (Pulsed or DC)
  - "Lambertson" Septa (Usually DC)
- Electro-Magnetic Septa OR "Induction Septa":

### Principle of "Current" Magnetic Septum

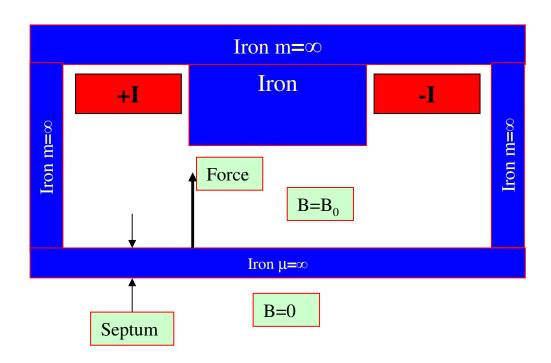
Use of current (I) to separate Field Regions





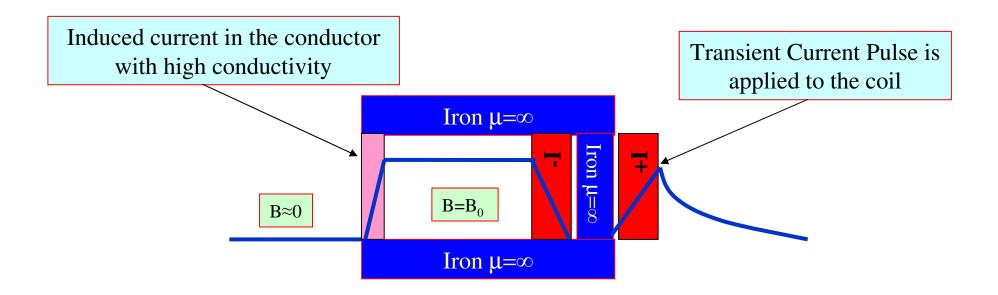
### "Lambertson" type Magnetic Septum

Use of magnetic Material to separate Field Regions



### "Induction" type Magnetic Septa

Use of High\_Conductivity Material to separate Field Regions



Performed few 2D studies but I did not derive definite conclusions about the advantages over the "regular" septa magnets

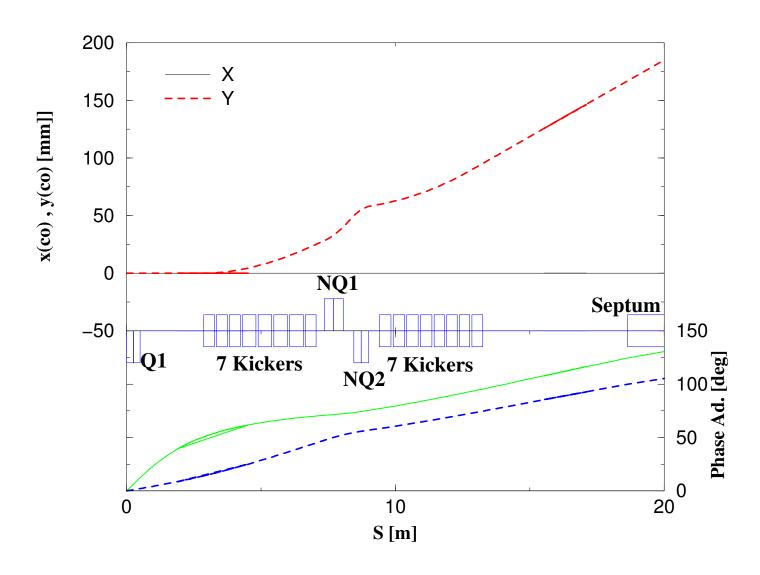
#### Choice of a Septum

- For high intensity beams >10<sup>13</sup> ions/bunch a "Lambertson type septum" is a better choice because the magnet coil is not exposed directly to the beam. {We have been using a "current" septum extracting ~7x10<sup>13</sup> ions/Magnet\_Cycle(3 sec)} !!!!
- For a "current" septum, the Kicker and the Septum are both acting on the beam in the same plane. This makes it easy to match dispersion.

  [If Dispersion Beam\_Matching is of importance]
- For a "Lambertson" septum:
  - Kicker kicks in the Vertical plane. Therefor small vertical dispersion maybe introduced to the beam. This dispersion can be corrected with additional magnets.
  - The non-median plane symmetry introduces "skew" multipoles.
  - A small beam coupling is also introduced due to the horizontal bend while the beam is traveling vertically.
- If the Septum runs at high fields, one has to consider and study the consequences of the magnetic field saturation for the choise of septum
- The minimum Septum thickness depends:
  - On the rate of the heat removal from the septum ("current septa") to keep the conductor at safe temp.
  - The effect of the iron\_saturation on the region of the circulating beam ("Lamb. septa")
- Injection/Extraction Septa work in conjuction with kickers:
  - Beam Optics in conjunction with magnet design will help define the optimum location and strength of the kicker(s) and septum magnet.
  - The energy of the circulating beam and the possible modes of operation of the accelerator introduces additional constraints on the septum design.

Beam optics calculations were performed to optimize the location and strength of the kickers and Extraction septum of the SNS ring

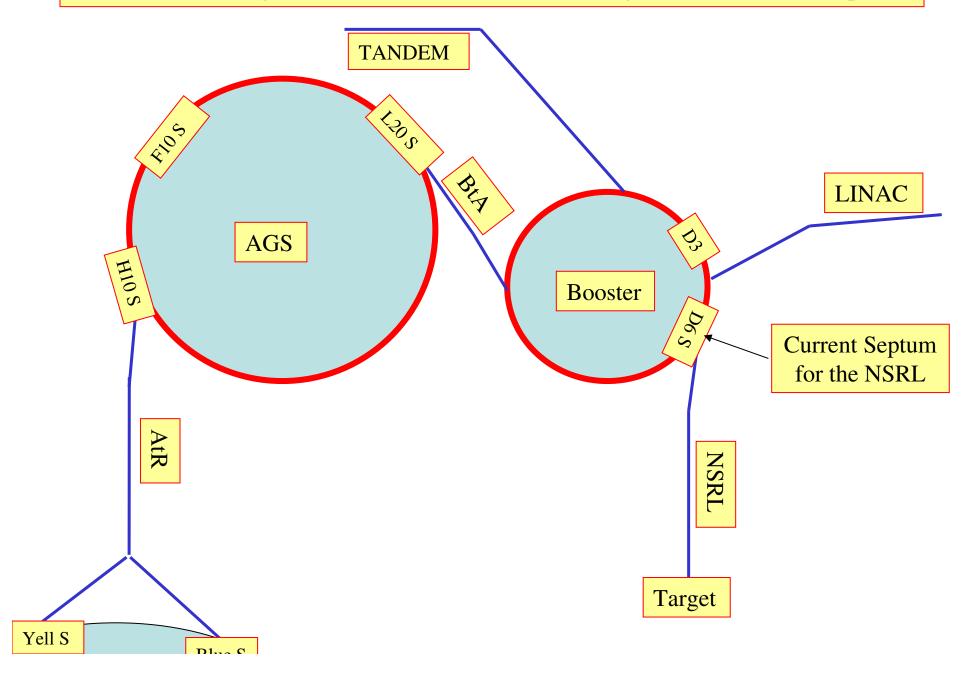
 $\mathbf{Y}_{cod}$  vs Dist. during beam Extraction



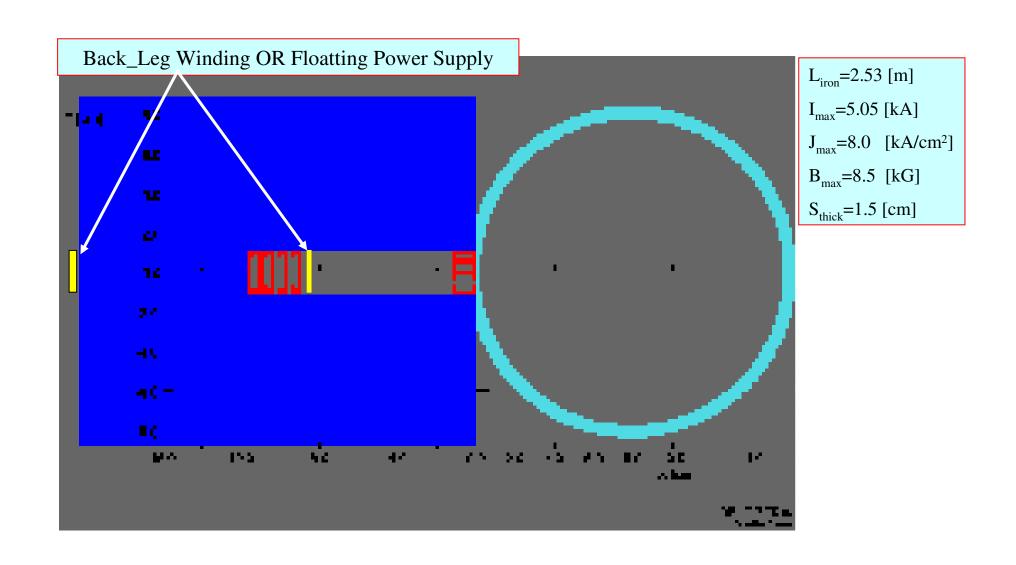
#### Modeling a Septum Magnet

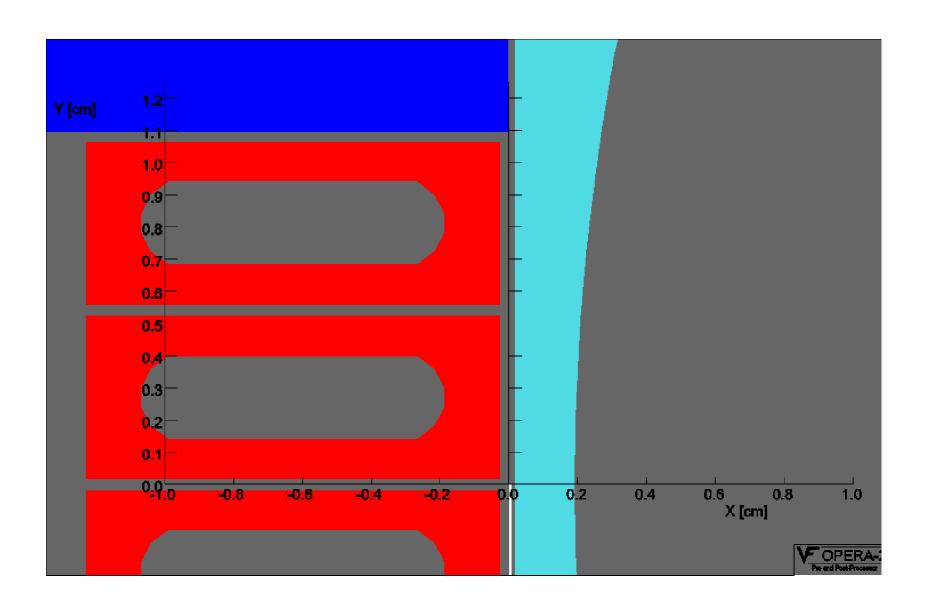
- "Current" Septum:
  - Two Dimensional Modeling of a current Septum (gap<<Length) is rather sufficient.</li>
  - In the septum region choose a conductor size which satisfies the cooling requirements.
  - In the model of the magnet use a large enough grid\_size\_density which make the results from the solution of the model independent of the grid size.
  - Methods used in minimizing the field in the "zero\_field" region
    - Implementation of a Back\_leg winding
    - Use vacuum pipe of magnetic material in the "zero field" region.
- "Lambertson" type Septum:
  - Three dimensional modeling of a "Lambertson" septum is a MUST:
  - Methods used in minimizing the field in the "zero\_field" region
    - Implementation of a magnetic vacuum pipe for the circulating beam.
    - Use of field clamps at the entrance and exit of the circulating beam region.

#### Schematic Diagram of the Booster and AGS Rings with few of the Septa

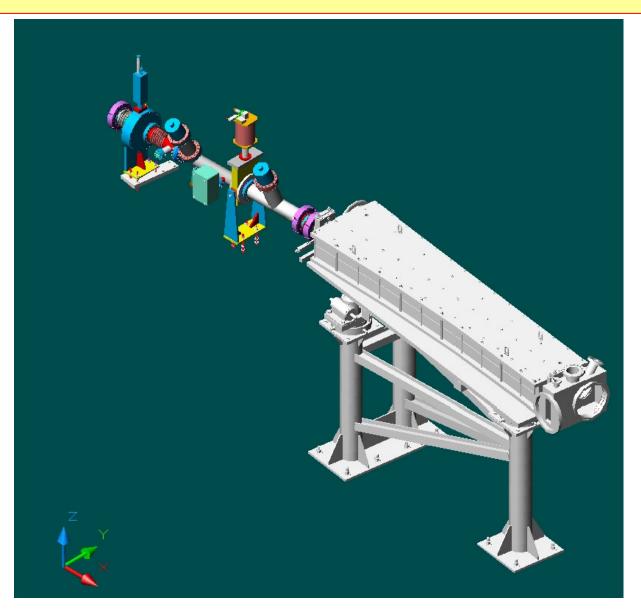


## Example of Modeling the "current" Septum Magnet of the NASA\_Space\_Radiation\_Laboratory (NSRL) Line

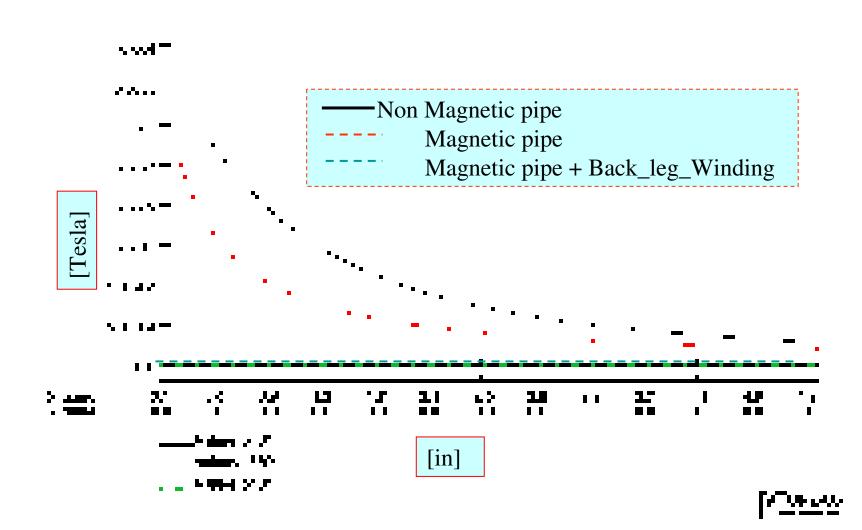




## Isometric view of the (NSRL) Line "current" Septum magnet Engineering Design: James Cullen, Louis Snydstrup



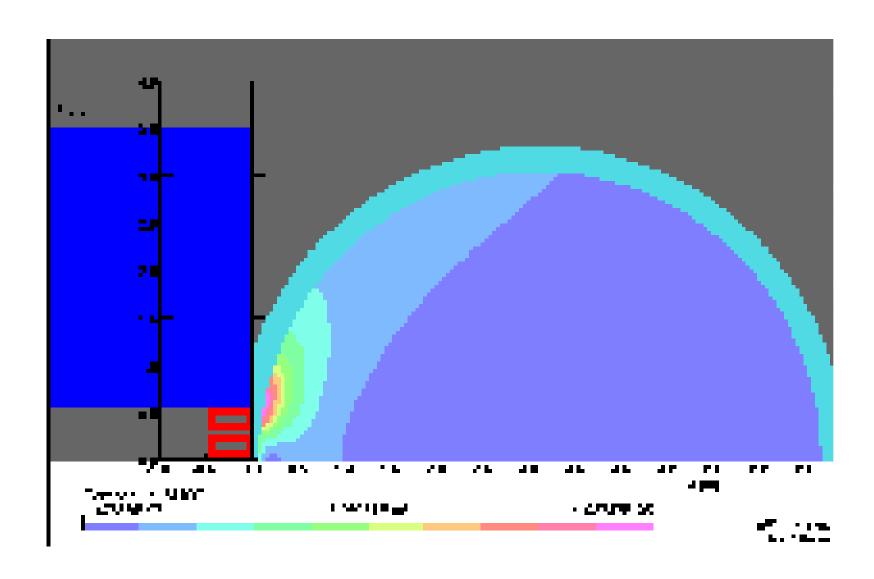
## Field strength in the "zero\_field" region of the (NSRL) "current" Septum magnet Magnet Powered at full Strength



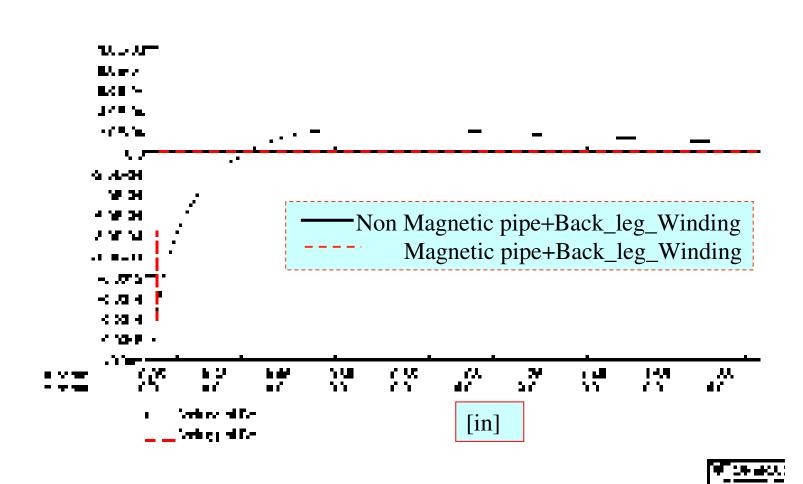
Strength of B<sub>mod</sub> in the "zero\_field" region of the (NSRL) Line "current" Septum magnet

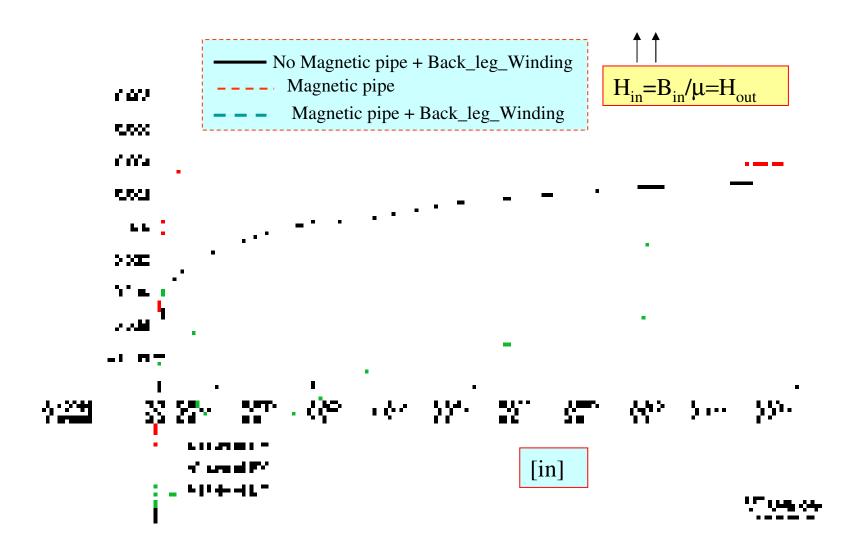
Magnetic Pipe and Back\_leg\_Winding are being used

Magnet is powered for maximum Field

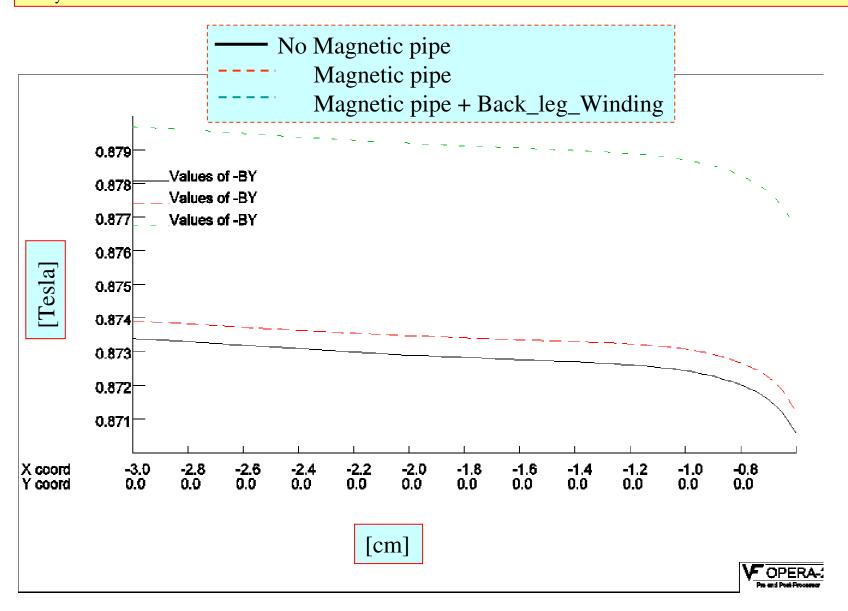


## Strength of B<sub>y</sub> in the "zero\_field" region of the (NSRL) Line "current" Septum magnet Magnetic Pipe and Back\_leg\_Winding and with Back\_leg\_winding only

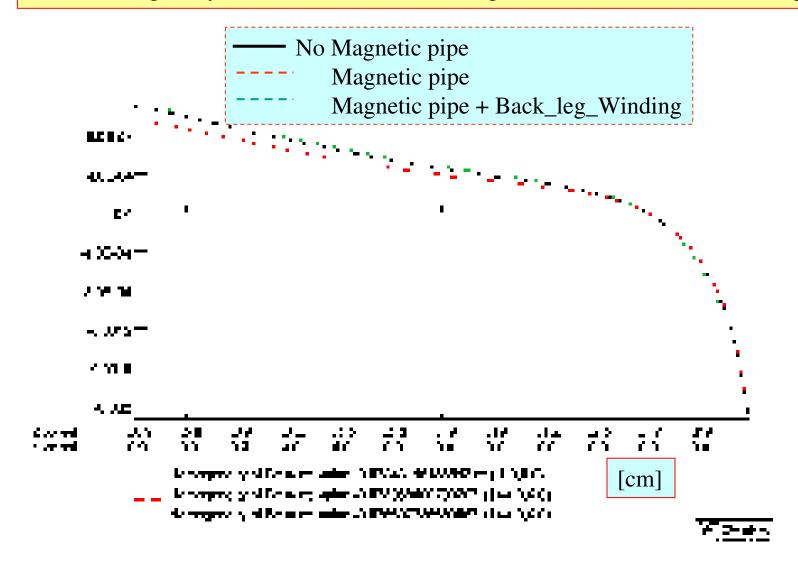




B<sub>v</sub> strength in the "Extraction\_field" region of the (NSRL) Line "current" Septum magnet

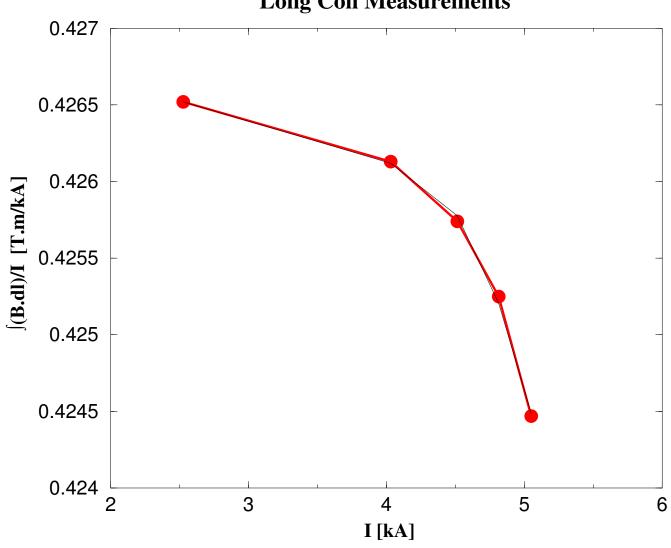


#### Field\_homogeneity in the "Extraction\_field" region of the (NSRL)"current" Septum magnet



#### **Transfer Function of D6 Septum**





#### Experience with the NSRL "D6" "current Septum Magnet

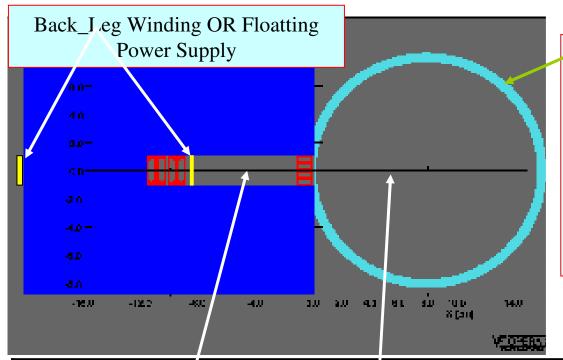
- Modes of Operation of the "D6 Current" Septum:
  - a) For a given magnet the Back\_leg winding was powered at a given current to minimize the fringe field at the circulating beam region.
  - b) Lower the magnet current to zero, "slowly", Back\_Leg Winding was Powered to generate same field conditions for the circulating beam as a) above.
  - c) Set magnet current to zero, "fast", Back\_Leg Winding was Powered to generate same field conditions for the circulating beam as a) above.

No Magnetic field measurements were performed to measure the effect of the "D6 Septum" on the circulating beam under the different conditions of operation above. There fore we had not information on the Back\_leg Winding current\_setting which minimizes the field strength at the circulating field region.

- Beam measurements at the different operation modes "D6 Current" Septum Showed:
  - The strength of fringe field generated by the septum after a "fast" shut off of the Septum was ~0.25 [mrad] on a 2.1 [T.m] rigid beam. This could NOT be corrected by the 0.1 [mrad] strong Back\_leg winding.
  - The strength of fringe field generated by the septum was ~0.08 [mrad] on a 2.1 [T.m] rigid beam. This could be corrected by the Back\_leg winding.

A procedure is addapted to maintain the "same field" at the fringe field region of the septum at three a) b) c) different operating conditions of the Septum

#### Three of the operation modes of the D6 Septum



Beam pipe is of "hard" magnetic material and the remnant field was a strong function of the hysterysis of the magnet.

For field reproducibility Magnet has to be "recycled"

$$0 = > I_{max} = > 0 = > I_{max} = > I_{set}$$

Mode	B <sub>circ</sub>	I <sub>bkl</sub>	$\mathrm{B}_{\mathrm{fringe}}$	
(a)	B <sub>0</sub> (NSRL)	$(I_{bkl})_0$	"Minimize" fringe Field	No magnetic field measurements performed in the fringe field region. $B_{\text{fringe}}(I_{\text{main\_mag}})$
(b)	Set to 0 slowly from B <sub>0</sub> (RHIC)	$(I_{bkl})_1$	"Minimize" fringe Field	The beam pipe generated remnant fringe field equivalent to 0.8 mrad
(c)	Set to 0 fast from B <sub>0</sub> (NSRL Access)	$(I_{bkl})_2$	"Minimize" fringe Field	The beam pipe generated remnant fringe field equivalent to 2.5 mrad. Field of Back_leg had to be reversed then back to reduce the remnant field.

## Recommendations to improve the operations of the NSRL "D6" "current Septum Magnet

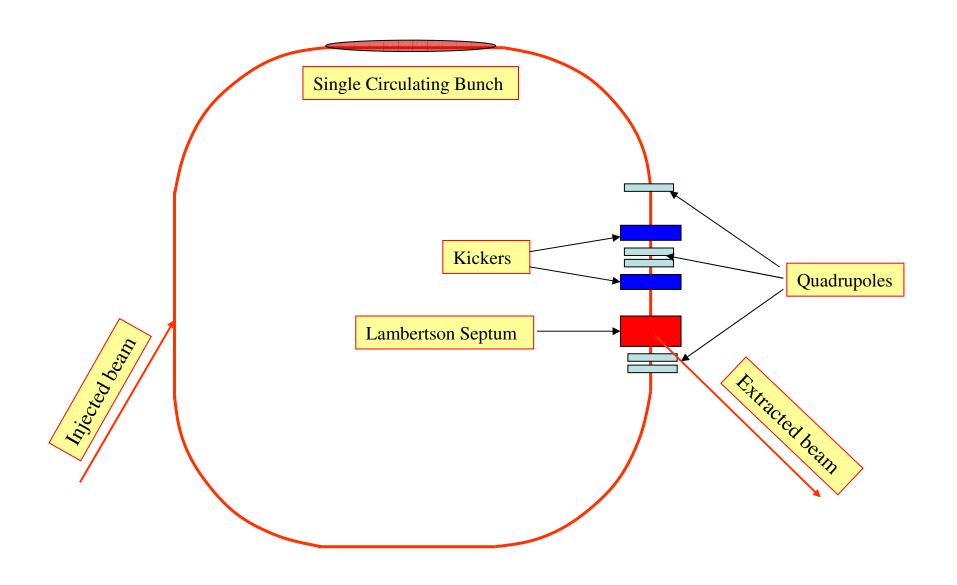
#### • Measure Magnet:

- Measure the  $B_{\text{fringe}}$  in the circulating beam region as a function of the current ( $I_{\text{D6}}$ ) of the D6 magnet.
- For a given  $(I_{D6})$  measure the current  $I_{bkl}$  of the Back\_leg winding for which the field in the circulating beam region is minimized.

#### Modify Magnet:

- Replace the magnetic pipe of the circulating beam region with one which is of very soft magnetic material, therefore of low remnant field.
- Replace the magnetic pipe with a non-magnetic material, and use only the back leg winding to minimize the field in the circulating field region.

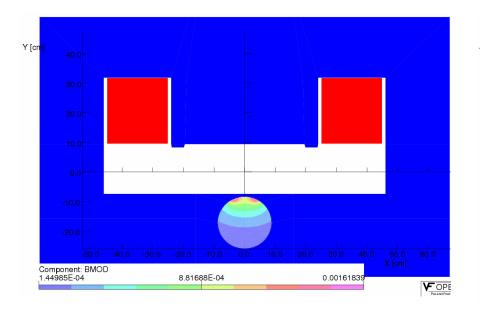
### Schematic Diagram of the Extraction Region of the SNS Ring

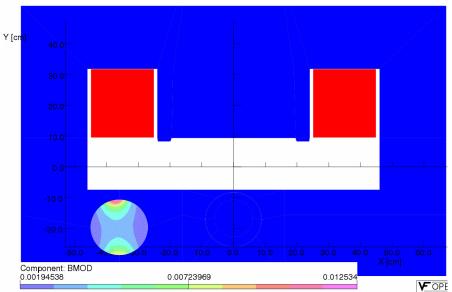


## Modeling the "Lambertson" Septum Magnet for the accumulator Ring of the Spallation\_Neutron\_Source (SNS)

Engineering Design: James Rank

$$L_{iron}$$
=2.24 [m]  $I_{max}$ =2.4 [kA]  $J_{max}$ =300 [A/cm<sup>2</sup>]  $B_{max}$ =8.0 [kG]

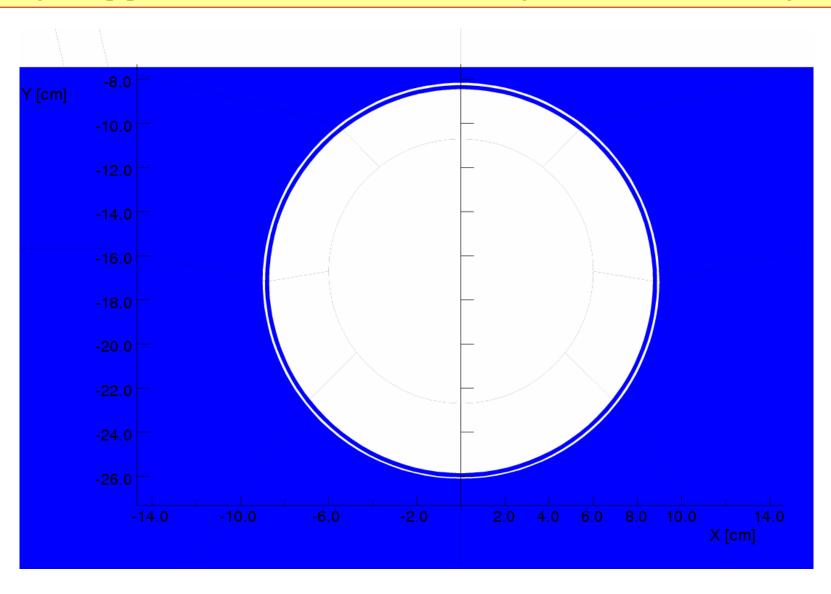




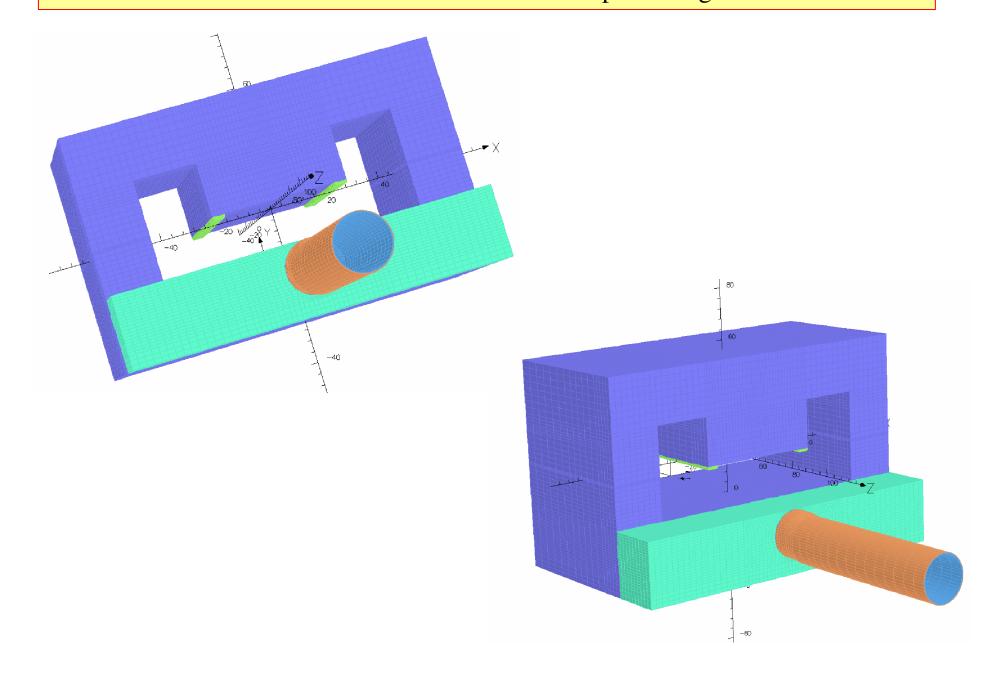
#### The 2D modelling is required to speed up:

- a) The optimization process of the main field of the magnet (Beam Extraction Region)
- b) The calculation of the amount of iron that will reduce regions of saturation in the magnet.
- c) The minimization process of the field in the circulating field region.

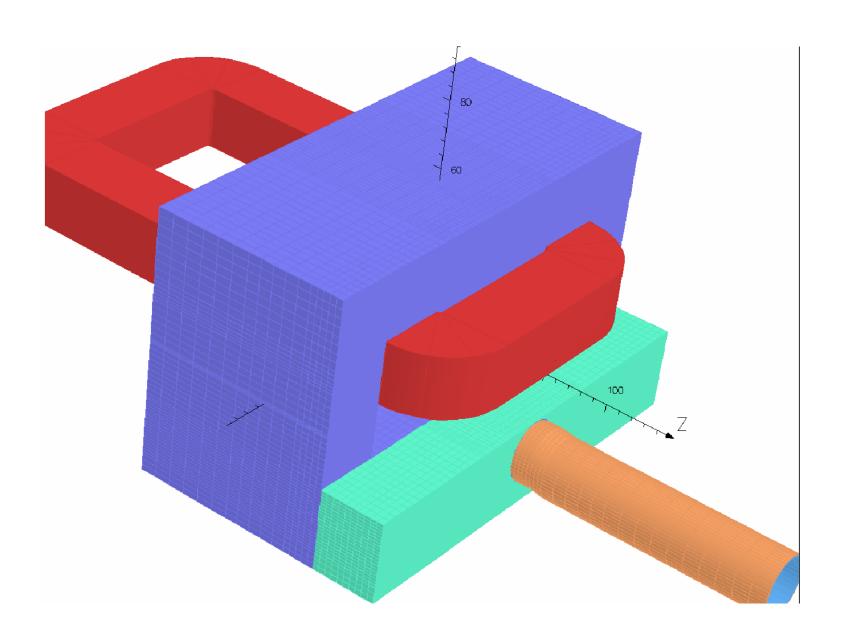
Cross Section of the Septum Region at the Entrance of the Septum magnet Magnetic pipe is used to minimize the field strength in the Circ. Beam Region



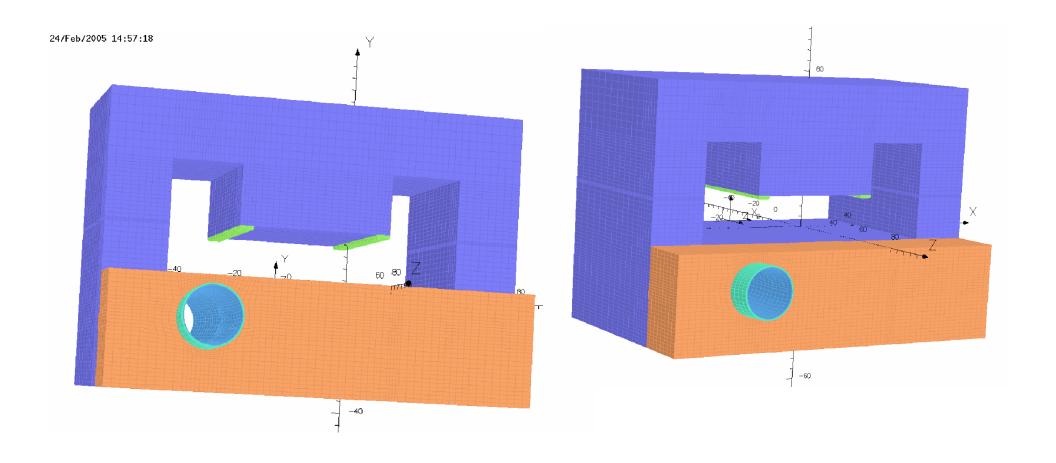
#### Three Dimensional Model of the "Lambertson" Septum Magnet at the Entrance



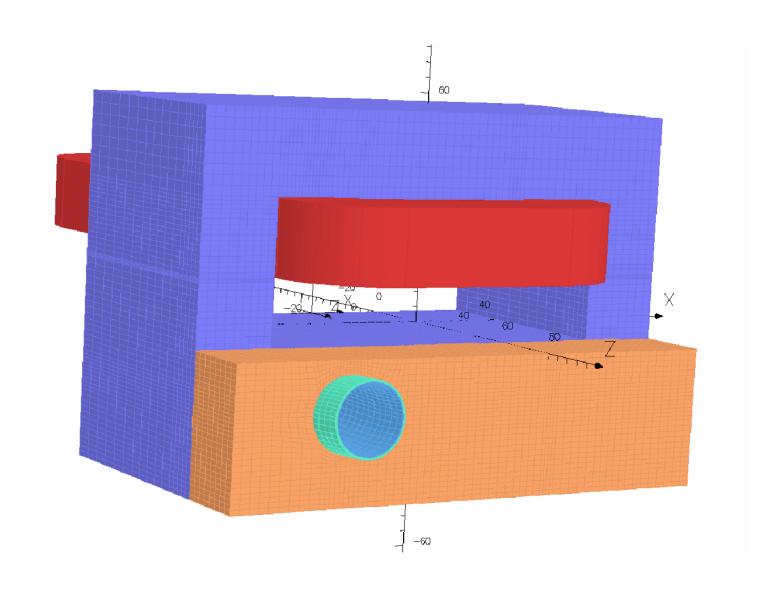
### Model at the Entrance of the "Lambertson" Septum Magnet with the coil



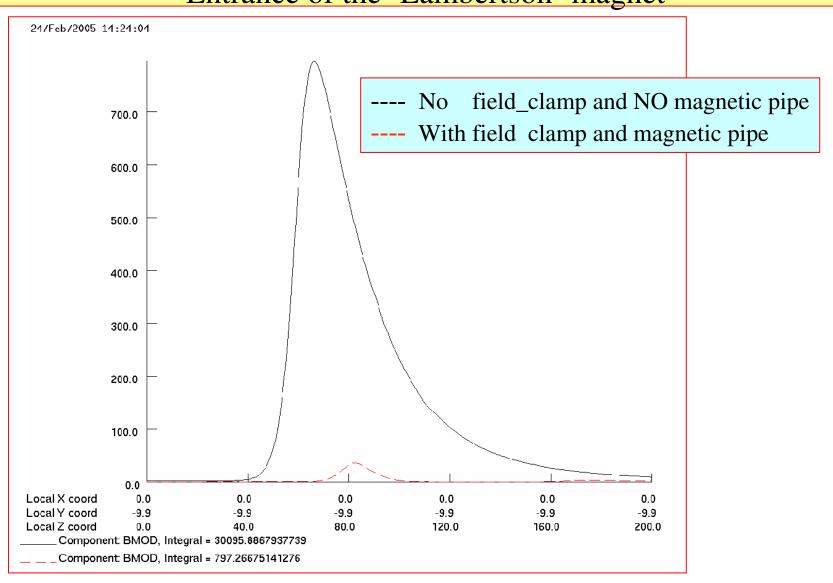
#### Three Dimensional Model of the "Lambertson" Septum Magnet at the Exit



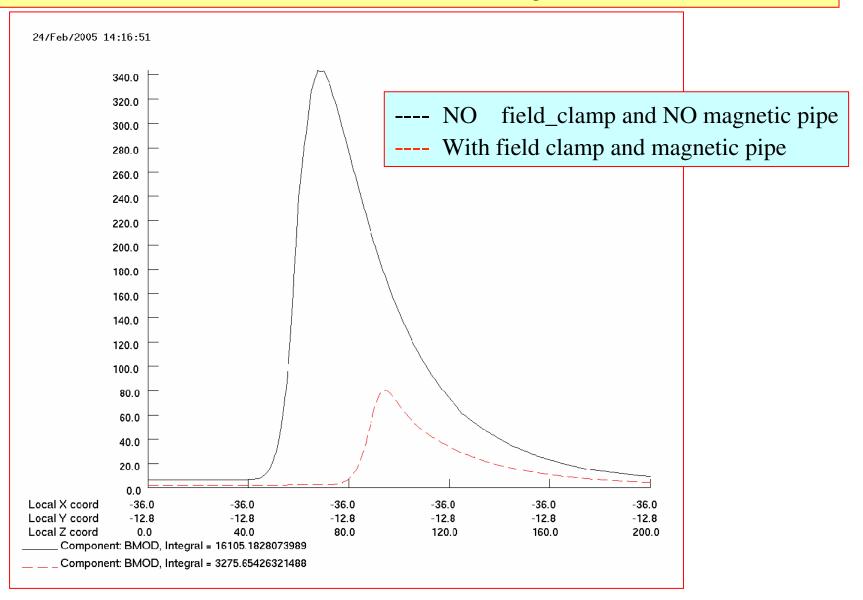
### Model at the Exit of the "Lambertson" Septum Magnet with the coil



## B<sub>mod</sub> along the beam direction of the circulating beam at the Entrance of the 'Lambertson' magnet



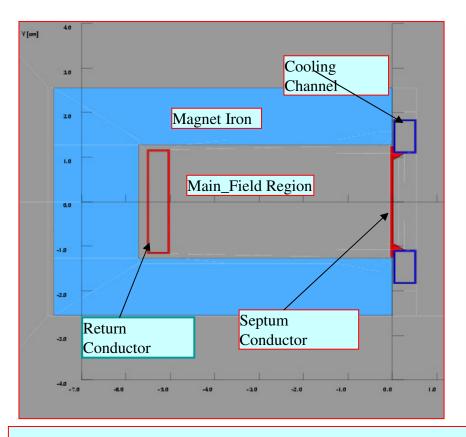
## $B_{mod}$ along the beam direction of the circulating beam at the Exit of the 'Lambertson' magnet

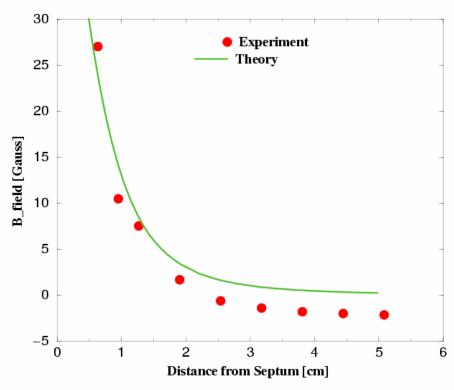


Magnet is in Building 902 Ready to for Magnetic field Measurements to be performed We will see the magnet during the tour.

- Integral field Measurements ( $\int B_y dz$ ) in the main field region to calculate the transfer function of the magnet
- Integral Harmonics Measurements at the circulating beam region (at  $r=r_0$ )
- $\int B_{r}(z,r)dz = \int B_{dip}(z,r)dz \sin(\theta) + \int B_{quad}(z,r)dz \sin(2\theta) + \int B_{sex}(z,r)dz \sin(3\theta) + \dots \int B_{12pole}(z,r) dz \cdot \sin(6\theta) + \dots \int B_{20pole}(z,r) dz \cdot \sin(10\theta) + \dots \int B_{28pole}(z,r) dz \cdot \sin(14\theta) + \dots \int A_{dip}(z,r)dz \sin(\theta) + \int A_{quad}(z,r)dz \sin(2\theta) + \int A_{sex}(z,r)dz \sin(3\theta) + \dots \int A_{12pole}(z,r) dz \cdot \sin(6\theta) + \dots \int A_{20pole}(z,r) dz \cdot \sin(10\theta) + \dots \int A_{28pole}(z,r) dz \cdot \sin(14\theta)$

### The F5 "Thin" current septum





- Recommendations for improvement:
  - Use techniques we learned from our colleagues from Japan
  - Use backleg winding
  - Use of a conducting magnetic material for a thin septum

#### Conclusions

- The performance from the operation of:
  - RHIC Injection "Lambertson" Septum Magnet
  - H10 Extraction "current" Septum Magnet

Showed good agreement with the calculations

- The performance from the operation of:
  - D6 "current" Septum Magnet Showed that the "large" remnant field in the vacuum pipe in the circulating beam region is critical for the operation of the septum when low rigidity (<2 [T.m]) beams are circulating in the accelerator and the modes of the operation in the Booster vary.